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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

KUNIEDA et al.

Art Unit: 2623

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Examiner: Siangchin

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Title: SYSTEM FOR FINGERPRINT AUTHENTICATION BASED ON RIDGE SHAPE INFORMATION

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

March 10, 2005

Sir:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time for three months for responding to the outstanding Office Action dated September 10, 2004 from December 10, 2004 to and including March 10, 2005. Attached is our check in the amount of \$510.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0548.

Respectfully submitted,

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